

COUNTY OFFICERS.
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Coroner.....D. G. B. PERRINS
Public Administrator.....C. B. MCCLINTOCK
School Commissioner.....A. H. AKERS

COURTS.
Circuit Court—C. A. Kilham, Judge.
Second Mondays in May, August and November.
County Court—First Mondays in February, May, August and November.
Probate Court—Second Mondays in January, April, July and October.

CHURCHES.
Presbyterian—Rev. C. E. Hickox, Pastor—Preaching Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Wm. M. Harlan, Superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
Methodist Episcopal, South—Rev. O. C. Fontaine, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Merrill Pipkin, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.
Methodist Episcopal—Reverend L. M. Thompson, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; C. H. Denman, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.
Baptist—Reverend S. P. Brite, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Wm. A. Glavin, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Junior B. Y. P. U. meets Sunday at 2 p. m. and Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.
Christian Church—Eld. Edw. Owens, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.; J. S. Clay, Superintendent.
Lutheran—Rev. Fredrick Klug, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning except the fourth; catechism after church.
Catholic—Rev. Bernard R. A. Stoller, resident priest—Mass every Sunday except 1st at 10 o'clock; catechism same day at 2:30.

W. M. HARLAN, President.
W. R. LANG, Vice-President.
M. P. CAYCE, Cashier.

BANK OF FARMINGTON.
CAPITAL STOCK : : \$50,000.00
(Surplus \$25,000.00)
Does a general Banking and Exchange business.
Interest paid on time deposits.
Insured against burglary in the Fidelity and Casualty Co., of N.Y.

Depository of County Funds.
COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY.
DIRECTORS:
Peter Gleising, J. E. Klein,
W. F. Doss, John B. Highley,
W. R. Lang, A. J. Zwart,
W. M. Harlan.

Merrill Pipkin,
Lawyer,
Abstracter,
Real Estate,
Loan and
Insurance
Agent.
FARMINGTON, MO.
Office over St. Francois County Bank
PHONE No. 57.

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AND DEALERS IN—
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Lumber, &c
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Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of FANNY JONES, deceased, will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the court house in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.
W. M. J. JONES, Administrator.
February 22, 1907.

ROBERT TETLEY JEWELRY CO.,
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ST. FRANCOIS COUNSY'S OUTPUT OF LEAD

Together With Price, Wages Paid and
Number of Employees for Fourteen
Years.

Lead Output and Value.			
Year	Tons Lead Ore	Average Price	Value For Year
1893	20,348	\$ 36.21	\$ 737,031
1894	28,120	40.45	1,137,579
1895	34,510	28.52	984,314
1896	42,371	28.09	1,202,579
1897	49,841	28.82	1,436,835
1898	51,011	29.25	1,492,132
1899	49,457	48.22	2,394,124
1900	54,652	45.30	2,477,736
1901	72,428	45.39	3,289,090
1902	88,734	49.49	4,382,508
1903	92,531	46.71	4,309,191
1904	89,254	45.19	4,035,254
1905	95,414	45.56	4,346,719
1906		65.09	7,291,171

Number Employees and Average Wages.

Year	Miners	Others	Total	Average Wages Paid
1904	250	206	456	Not reported
1904	281	122	403	From 1893 to 1905
1905	236	593	829	1.95
1906	447	309	756	1.30
1907	611	516	1,127	1.50
1908	743	508	1,251	1.50
1909	881	741	1,622	1.45
1900	1101	805	1,906	1.50
1901	1453	1117	2,570	1.64
1902	2055	1089	3,144	1.64
1903	1927	1880	3,807	1.70
1904	2111	1309	3,420	1.82
1905	2548	1286	3,834	1.87
1906			4,155	2.00

The foregoing statement shows the lead production of St. Francois county from 1893 to 1906 inclusive, the average wages paid, average prices of lead and number of employees. These figures are official, having been taken from the State Mine Inspector's report. The figures for 1906 are incomplete, as all of the operators' reports are not in yet, though the above figures will not be changed very much.

The Eastern District is composed of the following counties: Camden, Carter, Cole, Crawford, Franklin, Howell, Iron, Jefferson, Madison, Miller, Monticello, Oregon, Ozark, Clark, Phelps, Shannon, St. Francois, Washington, Wayne, Webster and Wright. From these counties come an annual production of lead, zinc, iron, baryta, cobalt, copper, nickel, marble, cement, lime-rock, building stone and a variety of valuable ores.

For the year 1905 St. Francois county produced \$4,804,719. The year of 1906 will show \$7,291,171, an increase of \$2,486,452. As is well known, St. Francois county is the greatest lead producing county in the State. The extensive improvements, new mills, new shafts, thousands of acres of newly optioned lands and the companies spending thousands of dollars prospecting each year—but far more in the year 1906 than ever before, as there have been in this county from 65 to 70 diamond drills running during the past year—warrants the belief that St. Francois county will in 1907 produce 90 per cent of the lead produced in Missouri.

Our neighboring county of Madison, while it is not as large a producer as St. Francois county, on account of the discovery of copper in paying quantities, will no doubt increase the value of the production in that county, copper being worth 25 cents per pound, while lead is worth 6 cents per pound. The North American Mining Company has erected large smelters for the handling of copper ore, and claim to have it in large quantities. Should this prove true, Madison county will in 1907 show up much more value in production than ever heretofore. The value of production of Madison county in 1906 was \$772,571, the figures being not quite complete.

MIX-THIS AT HOME.

The following simple home-made mixture is said to readily relieve and overcome any form of rheumatism by forcing the kidneys to filter from the blood and system all the uric acid and poison and waste matter, relieving at once such symptoms as backache, weak kidneys and bladder and blood diseases.

Try it, as it doesn't cost much to make and it is said to be absolutely harmless to the stomach.
Get the following harmless ingredients from any good pharmacy: Fluid Extract Damileon, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and again at bedtime.

This simple mixture is said to give prompt relief, and there are very few cases of rheumatism and kidney trouble it will fail to cure permanently.

These are all harmless, every-day drugs, and your druggist should keep them in the prescription department; if not, have him order them from the wholesale drug houses for you, rather than fail to use this, if you are afflicted.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

The Board of Managers met in the monthly meeting on Monday and transacted the usual business. Arrangements were made to push some of the improvements as soon as the appropriations are assured. The deep well and water tower are the pressing needs.

The employees and patients will observe, with due respect, St. Patrick's Day with a fancy dress ball. Prof. Sandlotky, Mlle. Hawkinsky, Dr. Longshongheny and Herr Vernonschmeyer, M. D., have masters in charge.

Rev. Dr. S. D. Jewell of Fredericktown and Rev. John B. Hill of Kansas City called to see the Institution on Tuesday. They expressed themselves as very much pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Slevins of St. Louis visited the Hospital on Monday. They were surprised at its neatness and beautiful surroundings.

Mrs. W. F. Kuhn left Wednesday to visit her son, Dr. Harold Kuhn, and friends in Kansas City. She will remain until the first of April.

Ellen Barker of Stoddard county, who was admitted in August, 1903, died of organic heart disease on March 10th.

The employees were paid by the Treasurer on Tuesday. The stringency in the financial circles were relieved.

T. J. Short expects to take a ten day's vacation next week and visit his son at Galveston, Texas.

The sick among the employees have all about recovered and very few are now on the sick list.

BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES.

Honor lists are being compiled for the February examination, being forwarded to the different schools.

Thomas Wood, who has just closed a successful term of school at DeLassus, enrolled in the business department Tuesday.

Miss Maud Calvird is the new assistant bank cashier, while Messrs. Cartes and Revoir have charge of the wholesale and retail departments.

Hon. P. P. Hinchey, the DeSoto member of the State Board of Managers of Hospital No. 4, visited President Moothart and family last Sunday.

This school daily appreciates the recognition given the Moothart football team by Barney Pelly, who has had post cards made bearing the excellent likeness of the players. The students and friends of the school will please bear this in mind and send these cards to friends.

Mr. W. E. Butler, a prominent business man of Bismarck, called at the college office Wednesday, for the purpose of securing a bookkeeper and stenographer to take charge of his office work. Miss Maggie O'Sullivan accepted the position and will enter upon her duties in the near future.

The Athletic Association held its semi-annual election of officers last week, resulting as follows: President, Mr. Trauernicht; Vice-President, Mr. McNutt; Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Fields; General Manager of Athletics, Prof. Moothart. A committee was appointed to make a division of the players, each division to elect its own captain. Dave Moore was selected as captain of the first division, and James McNutt captain of the second division. Training will now begin in earnest and the manager is ready to schedule games for the opening of the season, early in April.

CARLETON COLLEGE NOTES.

Examinations will be held in all the subjects next week, the close of the winter term.

Miss Carleton, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is improving and is now considered out of danger.

Rev. A. T. Osborne will deliver his famous lecture, "Spiritualism Exposed" before the Carleton Literary Society next Friday evening. He is an authority on the subject and the public should not fail to hear him. Admission free.

On Wednesday morning President Thomas announced a new departure in the chapel exercises. Beginning with the spring term, some student will be called on each morning to deliver a short address. It is expected that every student will prepare in the meantime, and respond promptly when called on. At the close of the term a decision will be rendered by the faculty and a prize will be given to the one who has delivered the best address.

It takes some men a long time to learn a lesson. Harry Sharp of Centerville, who was recently fined \$330 for illegal liquor selling, was arrested twenty-five times one day last week. He gave bond sixteen times and then decided he'd quit the business.

HAD TO WALK

For several years past Mr. C. A. Taylor, 4220 Finney Ave., St. Louis, has been the unhappy victim of a most peculiar malady that, it is said, was the result of an extremely delicate and badly deranged condition of the stomach and nerves, and which caused intense pain when the victim was in any but a standing posture.

"By walking continually," explained Mr. Taylor in speaking of his strange case, "I was able to relieve myself temporarily of the awful torture. What little I could force myself to eat would be heavily on my stomach and cause me much pain. I could not sleep and night after night I laid awake through what seemed eternity, waiting for daylight to continue my walking in order to find even a moment's relief. Medicines seemed to have no effect on me whatever for I had tried everything imaginable without any relief. However, when Mr. Cooper came to St. Louis a short time ago and the city went wild with enthusiasm over his medicines, I determined to see what they would do for me. I used several bottles of the New Discovery medicine and noticed a great improvement from the start. My appetite returned, my digestion grew better, the awful pains disappeared and at night I slept deliciously and peacefully and I always awoke refreshed. Now I am entirely cured of my trouble and owe it to the wonderful Cooper medicine."

Cooper's New Discovery cures stomach trouble, nervousness, kidney trouble, rheumatism and diseases of the blood and is a wonderful tonic and system builder. It sells for one dollar per bottle. Cooper's Quick Relief, the assistant remedy, costs fifty cents. The medicines are sold only by E. M. Laakman.

The Poplar Bluff Republican suggests that the mayor of that town follow the example set at Spokane, Wash., naming a day for cleaning up the streets and yards and planting trees and shrubs. All business was suspended and every man, woman and child worked with a will and wonders were accomplished.

Senator Joseph R. Burton will be released from jail at Ironton on the 22nd and will return to his home at Abilene, Kansas, at once. His term was shortened 30 days for good behavior. His wife has lived in Ironton during his imprisonment. His friends at home are preparing to give him a big reception on his return.

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If your blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, risings and bumps, scabby, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Burt's Blood Balm (B. B. B.) Soon all sores heal, aches and pain stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails.

NOTICE OF ELECTION 1907.

Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held in the City of Farmington, on Tuesday, April 24, 1907, in the wards thereof for the election of a Mayor, Police Judge and City Marshal, each for a term of two years, and One Alderman in each Ward for a term of two years, and one Alderman in the Second Ward for a term of one year, for the unexpired term of J. C. McCormick, resigned.

Polling places as follows:
First Ward—City Hall, Columbia street.
Second Ward—Court House, Sheriff's office.
Third Ward—L. J. Cumliff's office, Columbia street.
Fourth Ward—Henry Manley's shop, Henry street.

Polls opened and closed as the law directs.

This March 14th, 1907.

Attest: JOHN T. BURNS, Mayor.

S. L. ASBURY, Clerk.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat.....	75
Oats.....	55
Corn.....	60
Flour @ 100.....	\$2.10, \$2.30
Meal.....	65 to 70
Shipaux (sacked).....	1.30
Iran.....	1.25
Mixed Feed.....	1.20
Hay @ ton.....	18.00
Irish Potatoes.....	20 to 30
Beans @ bushel.....	60
Frying Chickens.....	12
Eggs @ doz.....	12 1/2
Rutter @ bushel.....	20 to 25
Beans @ bushel.....	2.10
Bacon @ bushel.....	12
Lard @ bushel.....	12
Tallow @ bushel.....	94
Sorghum Molasses.....	50
Salt @ bushel.....	1.40
Honey.....	15
Beeswax @ bushel.....	20

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DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

**A Cream of Tartar Powder
Made From Grapes
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Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, dated the 30th day of March, 1907, on the estate of

ABNER ELIHUE GOING, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the administrators for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if not exhibited for allowance within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.

JOHN M. MELOY,
PHINEAS A. MELOY,
Administrators.

March 15, 1907.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary upon the estate of James A. Shultz, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 31st day of January, 1907, by the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the undersigned executor for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.

W. M. HARLAN,
Executor.

February 28th, 1907.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, dated the 9th day of February, 1907, on the estate of

LORENCE WILLIAMS, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the administrator for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if not exhibited for allowance within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.

JOHN G. WILLIAMS, Adm'r.

February 15, 1907.

Notice of Public Sale.

We, the undersigned administrators of the estate of Abner Elhuc Going, deceased, will sell at public auction on Saturday, April 6, 1907, at the farm of the late Abner Elhuc Going, 3 miles south of Farmington, the following described personal property: 2 cows, 2 cows and calves, 1 bull, 2 yearlings, 1 seven-year-old mare, 1 ten-year-old mare, 1 ten-year-old horse, 1 seven-year-old horse, 1 five-year-old horse, 1 eight-year-old mare, 1 horse colt, 1 mare colt, lot of hogs and shotes, turkeys, chickens, 4 pen fowls, 6 feather beds, 11 feather pillows, 1 wardrobe, lot of rocking chairs, straight chairs, quilts, stoves, a blacksmith's outfit complete, 1 grinding stone, lot of smoked meat, 1 large iron kettle, 1 large copper kettle, 1 wheat fan, 1 corn sheller, 2 sets chain harness, 1 wheat drill, 1 disc harrow, 1 mower, 1 turning plow, 2 farm wagons, and many other useful and valuable articles, too numerous to mention.

Terms—Cash in hand for all purchases under \$10.00; Ten dollars and over a credit of six months will be given, purchaser to give note with approved security.

JOHN M. MELOY,
PHINEAS A. MELOY, } Adm's.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrators of the estate of WILLIAM L. LAMBETH, Dec'd, will make a final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Francois county, Missouri, to be begun and held at the court house in Farmington, in said county, on the second Monday in April, 1907.

SUSAN LAMBETH,
AMANDA LAMBETH,
Administratrixes.

March 8, 1907.

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FARMINGTON, MO.

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Fresh, First Class Meats
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